THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL. SENATOR QUAY VOTES WITH THE DEMOCRATS ON THE

SUGAR BOUNTY QUES-In the House Mr. Buchanan Makes and Withdraws an Objection,

and the Territorial Bills Are Considered. By Telegraph to the Citisen.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.-SENATE -The Senate met at 11 a. m., but it was only at 11:20 a. m., and as the result of a roll-call, that the attendance of a quorum was secured.

The credentials of Mr. Frye, for the senatorial term of six years from March 4th next, were presented by Mr. Hale, read and placed on file.

The Senate at 11:30 a. m. resumed consideration of the tariff bill, the pending question being on the amendment reported from the finance committee, allowing a bounty of one cent per pound on sugar thirty private pension bills, and at ten produced from beets, sorghum and sugar o'clock adjourned until to-morrow. cane, grown in the United States.

The debate on the amendment lasted until 5 o'clock, without intermission. having taken a wide political range, and the principal speakers being Messra. Reagan, Butler, Chandler and Spooner During its progress a long discussion as to the constitutional power of Congress to give such bounties was carried on between Messrs. Spooner and Hoar on the on the opposite side.

ocrats against it.

til to-morrow.

vesterday granted to Mr. Springer, of had done, or offer assistance. Illinois, to offer as a substitute for the Dakota bill, his omnibus bill with certain the Galena sent an armed boat's crew to which; under the special order, he was was made that the jamming of the tillerpermitted to offer.

chair yesterday when the proceedings attempt to sink the released ship, and the request for unanimous consent and not originated by higher authority than manufacturers will presently buy more 1st, 1890. statement he was corroborated by Mr. Toale, of Montana, and Mr. Symes, of Colorado.

Mr. Buchanan thereupon withdrew his

substitute for the Senate Dakota bill. bill, except that it provides for the im- at the knightheads. mediate admission of South Dakota.

The substitute was rejected-yeas 117, navs 122, Messrs, McDonald and Tarsney being the only Democrats joining in the solid Republican vote in favor of the proposition.

Falls to submit to the people of South was admitted to bail. Dakota for satisfaction or rejection, the Sioux-Palls constitution of 1885; and also articles separately submitted at that time including the selection of a temporary seat of the government, with such changes as the Senate may name, and as to the boundaries of the proposed State; to the re-apportionment of the judicial and legislative districts, and such other amendments as may be necessary to expressed by the union, and advising a comply with the provisions of this act.

Mr. Springer demanded the previous question on the pending amendments, on their third reading.

The Republicans demanded further time for debate, but Mr. Springer was obdurate. satil Mr. Symes, of Colorado, threatenes othat unless an hour was allowed for discussion, the republican side would resort to filibustering.

Under this threat, Mr. Springer signified run on for an hour.

Mr. Randall, however, came forward to congratulate him. with an objection which he based upon the fact that the territorial bills had monopolized the time of the House for the past week, to the exclusion of the appropriation bills. Thereupon the edict of "don't vote" went forth from the republican side, and as the edict was obeyed, the House was left without a

Mr. Springer then withdrew his demand for the previous question, and the debate

Mr. Perkins, of Kansas, moved to amend the Springer amendment by providing that if the Sioux-Palls constitut W. Reed, one of the editors and stock tion is ratified by the people of South Dakota, the President shall issue his died at his residence, in this city, at seven proclamation declaring the State of o'clock this morning. Mr. Reed was South Dakota admitted into the Union. seventy years of age. Agreed to; and Mr. : pringer's amendment, as amended, was agreed to.

A similar provision, relative to the admission of Montans, was embodied in the substitute, upon motion of Mr. Toale,

Mr. Daughtery, of Plorida, offered an

amendment including Utah and Arizona saying that he did not see why an omnibus bill of democratic origin should let in all of the republican territories and keep out the democratic territories. The amendment was ruled out on a point of

The House then proceeded to vote or the omnibus bill as an amendment, and as a substitute for the Senate measure, and it was agreed to, by a party vote of yeas 133, nays 120.

Mr. Springer closed the debate on th bill in an eloquent, and flowery speech rates has already checked, for a time, the which gave rise to much applause. The Senate bill, as amended by th

substitution of the omnibus bill was then passed-yeas 144, nays 98. Mr. Springer moved to amend the title so as to conform with the body of the bill. Agreed to.

The House then at 5 o'clock took recess until 7:30-the evening session to be for the consideration of private peting railroads, and does not promise a At its evening session the House passed

THE HAVTIEN REPUBLIC

Again in Trouble—Run Into by Haytian Gunboat. By Telegraph to the Citizen

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Hayti, Jan. 3.-The steamship Haytien Republic was run into by the Haytian gunboat Nouvelle Valdrogue on the night of December 20th, affirmative side of the question, and inflicting but slight damage to either ves-Messrs. Gray, Butler, George and Reagan sel. The Haytian gunboat was entering the harbor at full speed and could have At 5:10 p. m. a vote was taken on the steamed to her anchorage without any sugar bounty amendment, and it was change of course, but when within twenty agreed to by a vote of ayes 27, nays 23, yards of the Haytien Republic her helm party lines being maintained on it except was suddenly put to port and remained in the case of Payne, of Ohio, who voted so until she struck that vessel. Then her aye, with the Republicans, and Quay, of engines were reversed and she backed to Pennsylvania, who voted with the Dem- a distance of two hundred yards. She then again steamed at full speed until At 5:15 p. m. the Senate adjourned un- within a short distance from the steamer, when her course was slightly changed, House.-Mr, Buchanan, of New Jersey. thus just missing her. The gunboat was objected to the approval of the journal. hailed both times, but no answer was contending that it was incorrect in the made, neither did her captain attempt statement that unanimous consent was to ascertain the amount of damage she

After ascertaining the damage done,

A Collision at Sea.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. New York, Jan. 18.—The steamer objection to the approval of the journal. Richmond hence for West Point, Va., Consideration of the territorial bills returned with the schooner Jacob Reed was then resumed, the pending question in tow, this morning. The two vessels being on the McDonald substitute for the had been in collision. The steamer's Springer omnibus bill, which is itself a port-bulwarks are stove in fore and aft of the pilot house and there is a small The House proceeded immediately to hole in her bulwarks at the main rigvote upon the McDonald substitute, ging. Her pilot house and fore and which has never been read, but which main rigging are also slightly damaged. embodies the main features of the omnibus The schooner's bow sprit is broken off

Ex-Banker Bain Found Guilty.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. NORFOLK, VA., January 18 .- The trial of R. T. K. Bain, director of the Exchange National Bank of this city, Mr. Springer then offered an amend- which failed in April, 1885, ended in ment to the omnibus bill, providing that the United States Circuit Court here if a division of Dakota is authorized, and to-day. The indictment was for misa majority of all the votes cast at the application of the funds of the bank by election provided for in the act shall be checking, when his firm, Bain & in favor of the Sioux-Falls constitution Brother, were indebted to the bank. of 1885, it shall be the duty of the con- The jury brought in a verdict of guilty. vention which may assemble at Sioux- Pending motion for a new trial, Bain

Weavers Advising a Strike.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 18 .- At a meeting of the Weavers' Union last night it was decided to draw up resolutions asking for an advance of wages, condemning the Board of Trade for refusing to listen to the wishes of the weavers as strike in the event of a continuance of the present policy of the manufacturers.

Ridenour Acquitted.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. WINCHESTER, Va., Jan. 18 .- The jury in the Ridenour murder case was out on your and brought in a verdict of "in Pguilty." Immediately loud cheers arose from the great crowd assembled. Ridenour had been twice sentenced to be his willingness to permit the debate to hanged. After the judge had discharged the prisoner, crowds pressed around him

Without the President's Signature.

By Telegraph to the Citizen WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- The act granting the right of way to the Pensacola & Memphis Railroad Co., through public lands in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee, has become alaw without the President's signature.

An Aged Journalist's Beath.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jan. 18 .- Geo holders of the Brooklyn Daily Eagle

A Shaking Up in Scotland.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. LONDON, Jan. 18 .- A shock of earthbut no damage was done.

IN BUSINESS CIRCLES.

Week. By Telegraph to the Citizen. New York, Jan. 18 .- R. G. Dunn & Co's review of trade for the week is as follows: Mild weather still retards business, and the practical effects of the recent agreement of the railroad presidents and bankers begin to be better understood. It is seen that an advance of duced were the following:
rates has already checked, for a time, the To extend the jurisdiction, and increadistribution of products, and that it in the fees of justices of the peace. creases one difficulty which had beclouded our horizon otherwise clear. On the kee to build a new jar other hand, anxious manufacturers in iron and other connected industries when 1887, relative to the searching for signs of enlarged consumption, are forced to notice that the agree ment of the bankers is in effect, that they shall be closed by a will discourage the building of more comarge increase in the demand for iron. It haves the fees Last year's production of rails was one-

making a difference of more than 700,-000 tons in the demand for iron, and yet was lost. the new year begins with a weekly pro- A bill to repeal the act forbidding hund duction, according to the Iron Age, of ing of deer in McDowell, Burke and again. 154,398 tons, charcoal, iron included; an Mitchell counties until 1891, passed its increase of 5,485 tons over December. The readings, as did also the bill to change immediate effect in the iron market is the the name of Charleston, in Swain county weakening of prices and Southern iron to Bryson City. are still offered at fifty cents less The bill to authorize than similar eastern grades, though er of agriculture to offer a premium for the latter are about fifty cents lower the largest yield per acre for grain, Irish marck against Prof. Geffcken, is of long than a week ago, for foundry grades. potatoes, hay and cotton, was discussed. standing. Ten years ago, at a social Bar-iron, except the best, is exceedingly Numerous amendments were offered, all

ing only 434,381 tons. by individual operators, and that the re- reading. striction fails to restrict.

the mills, the sales thus far, for 1889, be-

retarded in nearly all parts of the country by unseasonable weather, and while the sales of woolens are but moderate, there is no animation in cottons, and prices are firm. An open winter affects the from Newton to Morganton. marketing of goods by country merchants, and also retards the marketing trates in criminal cases of products by farmers; but money marliberally.

The London County Elections.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. London, Jan. 18 .- The London county elections have been completed. Of the hundred and eighteen members, seventy are reformers, including Lord Roseberry, Sir John Lubbock, Lady Sandhurst, Mr. Harris, of the Drury Lane theatre, and socialist Burns, and forty-eight are independents. The contests do not involve politics, but a large proportion of the liberals being returned, indicates a change of opinion in the metropolis. All candidates who were members of the board of works, associated with recent plundering revelations, were

The Parnellite Commission. By Telegraph to the Citizen. LONDON, Jan. 18.-When the Parnell Commission met this morning R. T. Reid. M. P., one of counsel for the Parnellites called the attention of the court to a placard issued by the Sheffield Telegraph, on which are printed these words: "The league murder ring; confession in open court." Presiding justice Hannen rejuested that the matter be embodied in an affidavit and submitted to the court. The taking of evidence was then re-

Cotton Report Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Citizen NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Hubbard, Price & Co., in their cotton circular to-day, say: "Market has remained in an apathetic condition, as heretofore noted. At the opening the average list of futures 93,000. Total stock, 714,000; American, were sold at from six to seven points 583,000. Total affoat, 184,000; Ameriover last evening, but free offerings soon wiped out this gain, and the market sold down to last evening's figures. There was a slight reaction.

No Sickness on the Galena. By Telegraph to the Citizen. New York, Jan. 18 .- The Atlas line steamer which arrived here to-day from the West Indies, reports that the United States steamer Galena was at Jamaica on the 10th inst. Admiral Luce reported no sickness whatever on board of the

Freezing 'Em Out.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. MINNEAPOLIS, Jan, 18 .- The coldest wave of the season is passing over the northwest. Dakota reports 429 below zero this morning. At Morris, Minn., it was 30° below, and at Grand Forks, Dakota, it was 25° below.

West Virginia Solona' Trouble. By Telegraph to the Citizen.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 18.-The ganize to-night.

Washington Notes.

\$132,000 in four and a halfs, at 109.

THE BILLS INTRODUCED IN

The Repeal of the County Govern

ment Set Bown Upon Heavily-A Republican Exhibition of Spiece, Etc. [Special Telegram to the Citisen.]

RALEIGH, N. C., January 18 .- In the Senate to-day, the principal bills intro

To allow the comi L. Calendar. The bill to repeal apter 144, law wide debate.

The amendment. the law is operative, bill passed its second same as provided in the old law.

third less than the production of 1887, A bill to provide for the working of public roads by taxation and contract,

dull, and it is again stated that steel of which, with the bill, were referred to livered an extravagant diatribe, declarrails can be had at prices equal to \$27 at the committee on agriculture. The bill to prevent fraud in the sale of land and personal property, under mort- a trace of kindliness or pity.' The coal market is also drooping, and gage, by requiring a notice at the court These words in accordance with

there is a complaint that rates are cut house for twenty days, passed its final The House had a long session to-day,

> portant measures. bills introduced Among the leading were the following: To remove the State Normal School

> To extend the jurisdiction of magis

The House sat down heavily upon the kets, at substantially all points report- bill introduced by a Republican member ing, are good. While the actual dullness to repeal the county government act. amendments, instead of House bill 8466; the offending gunboat, where a statement of trade is complained of occasionally at The same treatment was given another

The bill to incorporate the town of endorsement as a strong one. Hot Springs passed its final reading. There was a good deal of debate on the bill to prevent hog cholera, and it was necessary to recommit if.

The bill to allow Jackson county to

The Cotton Market.

levy a special tax, was passed.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- Net 619; gros 1.796; futures closed steady; sales 88,000 is not known. ales. Jan. 967@6, Feb. 973@4, March April 997@8, May 1007@8, June 1017@18, July 1025@6, August 1031@2, Sept. 995@7. The following are total net receipts of cotton at all ports since Sept. 1, 1888: Galveston 541,571, New Orleans 1,286,549, Mobile 172,027, Savannah 680,513. Charleston 331,848, Wilmington 139,446, Norfolk 389,394. Baltimore 37,833, New York 91,878, Boston 39,731, Newport 48,700, Phila-delphia 31,046, West Point 299,272, bales. Cotton steady; sales to-day 770; tory near by and demolishing a portion uplands 9 15-16, Orleans 10 3-15; net reof it. No one was scriously injured. eipts at all ports to-day 30,344; export reat Britain 9,298, France 50, Conti nent 6,878, stock 905,037; weekly net receipts at this port 4,733; gross 41.079; exports Great Britain 9,110, France ,597, continent 8,180, forwarded 13,-169; sales 2,611, spinners 2,343, stock

LIVERPOOL, January 18 .- Cotton, ac tive; prices hardening; American midding, 5½d; sales, 12,000; speciations and ex-1,300; futures firm, at an advance. Jan., and one year in jail. 5 36-64; Jan., Feb., 5 34-64a 35-64; Feb. March, 5 33-64a 34-64; March, April 5 32-54a 33-64; April, May, 5 32-64a forwarded, 61,000; actual export, 25,-

can, 159,000. can, 159,000.

2 P. M.—American good middling, 5%d.; middling, 5 9-16d.; low middling, 5%d.; good ordinary, 5%d.; ordinary 5d; sales, American, 13,700; Jan., 5 35-64d., seller; Jan., Feb., 5 34-64d., buyer; Feb., Eab. March, 5 33-64d., buyer; March, 5 33-64d.

seller; Jan., Feb., 5 34-64d., buyer; Feb., Feb., March, 5 33-64d., buyer; March, April, 5 32-64d., buyer; April, May, 5 33-64d., buyer; May. June, 5 34-64d., value, June, July, 5 35-64d., seller; July, August, 5 36-64d., buyer; August, September, 5 35-64d., seller; futures steady.

4 P. M. January, 5 35-64d., value; January, February, 5 35-64d., value; January, February, 5 35-64d., seller; February, March, 5 34-64d., seller; March, April, 5 33-64d., buyer; April, May, 5 34-64 i., seller; June, July, 5 36-64d., seller; July, August, 5 37-64d., seller; August, September, 5 35-64d., buyer; futures firm.

Internal Revenue Receipts.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. WASHINGTON, D. C., January 18 .- Collections of internal revenue for the first six months of the fiscal year ending June six months of the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1889, were, \$63,312,565; an increase of \$868,957, as compared with collections for the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year. Receipts were of the previous fiscal year. Receipts were CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 18.—The ninetieth ballot was cast in the Senate to-day for president, but there was no election. The House met and adjourned 343,653; a decrease of \$1,348,841. Tobacco, \$15, graph of the previous fiscal year. Receipts were the tax-payers. In conclusion, I will say, Mr. Westall lays himself open to the same charge he makes against Mr. Bishop—that of being too "quick to enter the columns of the CITIZEN," occaelection. The House met and adjourned 343,653; a decrease of \$511,245. Feruntil to-morrow without doing any bus- mented liquors, \$12,142,396; an increase iness. It is thought the Senate will or of \$25,028, Oleomargerine, \$410,989; an increase of \$51,203.

The department of State has received WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18 .- Bond a cablegram from consul Allen, at quake was felt to-day in a portion of the offerings to-day aggregated, \$166,000. Kingston, Jamaica, stating that the Leith valley and in western Edinburgh, The Treasury department accepted Ossipee arrived there to-day with the that there is nothing about John Wanna Haytien Republic.

Delancy Gives in His Testimony.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. LONDON, Jan. 18 .- The cross-examination of Patrick Delaney was resumed before the Parnell commission to day. The witness persisted in declaring that he saw Bayton point out to "Invincible Bradly," chairman of the prison board, Secretary Bourke, for assassination. On cross-examination by Michael Davitt, Delaney said he was positive that he had often seen Davitt in company with Dan Curley, although he could not fix the dates. Re-examined with reference to the funds of the Fenians, he stated that until 1879, the party was without money, other than the few klaw, caused a pence weekly, subscribed by the mem-

> delegated to America. Curley, ds from the League and se as a contractor. Bea photograph of in man in rm, the witness said that it was "Invincible" Noel. At the close of the London, in case he should be wanted

bers; some pawned their watches to

The German Hasman and Mordecai

By Telegraph to the Citizen. LONDON, January 18 .- The affair, says: "The animus of Prince Bismeeting, after dinner, Prof. Geffcken deing that "Bismarck had not one single tion; a report of which is to be rendered noble trait of character and was without at the next regular meeting of the Counthe system of espionge practiced by Germany, were reported to the "reptile bureau" at Berlin, and noted down in cilmen Miller and Rankin, was appointed The movement of dry goods is greatly yet handled only two or three really im- Bismarck's black-book. The whole affair to consult with city attorney Sondley recalls the story of Haaman and relative to the preparation of an amend Mordecai. The German Haaman seeks ment to the city charter, in order that to gibbet his Mordecai by publishing the the council might build sidewalks, etc. indictment, the only result being to justify Geffcken in the eyes of the world.

The fennessee Republicans.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. NASHVILLE, Tenn.. Jan. 18 .-- In the most points, business is called quiet or Republican measure, which was absurd Anderson was nominated for Secretary for the city from Mr. Thomas, at Whitropes was the cause of the collision. It fair for the season. But the light demand in its petty meanness. It was a bill to of State; H. A. Hostach, for Comptier's. Mr. Cox, of New York, who was in the is the opinion that it was a deliberate at present for raw wool or cotton, does change the name of Cleveland county to troller, and Brown Simmons, for Treasnot prevent the firmness of prices. Hence Cleaveland. The time for a settlement urer. Hostach, who is an applicant for residence, on South Main street, will occurred, stated that he had submitted is a question whether the scheme was holders have great confidence that the of the State debt was extended to July public printer, was nominated by ac-

The Stockade Burned.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. COLUMBUS, GA., Jan. 18 .- A special to the Enquirer-Sun from Oswichta, Ala., says: B. F. Hatcher's stockade was burned this morning; loss upon stockade and contents \$15,000. Hatcher is out of the city and the amount of insurance

A Boller Explosion in the Land of the Orange Blossom By Telegraph to the Citizen

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 18 .- A Gaines ville special says: "The boiler of a large fertilizer factory here, exploded this afternoon, damaging the building to the amount of \$2,000. A large piece from Brunswick 41,332. Total 4,131,140 the center of the boiler struck an ice-fac-

Served Him Right.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. BALTIMORE, January 18 .- In the United States District Court here today, Captain Robert Mills, of the oyster schooner Chicago, was found guilty of brutally beating his dredgers. port, 10,000; receipts, 10,000; American, and was sentenced to a fine of \$500, Creek on Sunday. The officers then set

Business Failures.

By Telegraph to the Citizen. New York, January 18.-Business failures occuring throughout the country during the week, number for the United States 284; Canada 46; total 880, against 381 last week.

Mr. Ramseur's Remarks. [Written for the Citizen.]

Glancing over a CITIZEN of recent date I noticed an article headed "Alderman Westall Takes up the Cudgel for the City This is in answer to Rev. C. M. Bish-

p's complaint of the sidewalks of our It occurs to me that it would be well if more of our tax-payers would imitate Mr. Bishop's "boldness" and demand that more of the city funds be used for that

But why should it require boldness for the sovereign people to demand of the public servants an account of their stew-ardship? Have they, like Cæsar, grown so great that we dare not attack them

"boldness and recklessness" in sub ourselves to insolence and abuse. subjecting this connection, The truth is, our local government is sionally. The space he occupies could be filled with other matter more accepta-

ble to its subscribers. M. B. RAMSEUR.

Philadelphia morning papers are now stopped at night when it is ascertained

OUR CITY'S GUARDIANS.

Full Report of the Proceedings of the City Council at Its Ses-

sion Held Last Night. The weekly session of the City Council last night was a business one from the word "go," and every "city father" was or the suggestions, which might be presented for consideration and disposition. City tax collector Reynolds thought that the tax upon Mrs. Merrill's property was a reasonable one, and therefore he could not recommend a reduction of the same.

Sheriff Reynolds asked the Council to build a side-walk from Main street to the county jail.

Mr. J. H. McConnell wanted north Main street widened, and his request was referred to the committee on streets. Upon the request of Mr. J. E. Rankin, chairman of the board of county commissioners, the Council ordered that the sidewalks on the square, and in front of examination Justice Hannan ordered the court house, should be covered with the State, finally entering Virginia at the crushed stone-the county to pay for the

A petition from citizens residing in northwest Asheville, asked that the sidewalk on Haywood street be repaired; and that, if necessary to accomplish this purpose, to leave alone the laying of Gazette, commenting upon the Geffcken sewerage pipes in that section of the city, and use the money to be applied to sewerage work in improving its streets.

This request was referred to a special committee, composed of Councilmen Scott, Rankin and Westall, for investiga-

Mr. C. S. Cooper's bond as plumber was offered, considered and accepted. A special committee, consisting of coun The appointment of a Sanitary Inspec-

tor for the city, went over to the next God." regular meeting for action. The committee on street railways ask ed for and obtained, a week's time in which to make their report.

The committee on streets was empow Republican caucus last night, W. C. ered to purchase necessary curbing-stone

A portion of Dr. W. L. Hilliard's old clamation, and his friends regard the that street, said the special committee on that subject, in their report last night, and a line must also be run so as to come out straight at the sidewalk in front of Mr. W. C. Carmichael's residence on the same street, etc. The report was accepted, and the council ordered that city engineers Lee & Aston, under the direction of the committee, should make a survey and map of the said proposed

lines of widening. In order to afford the people living at and near the old depot, "more light on the subject," the council ordered that two electric lights should be placed in that locality, just as soon as the Electric

Light Co., could rig them up. A number of bills were examined, as dited and ordered paid, and the labors of

the session were at an end.

NO CAPTURE EFFECTED,

and Ruff Still Remains at Large

in the Kentucky Mountains.

Police officers Rowan and Smith re turned to the city yesterday, after a long and fruitless search for Jerome Ruff, among the mountains of Kentucky. The officers reached Yellow Creek, where Ruff had been at work in a saw mill, on Monday, and found out to their chagrin and disgust that they were just a day too late-Ruff having left Yellow

but without securing a definite clue upon which to further operate. They then started back back home. Ruff is still at large, and in the vicinity of Vellow Creek: the section is lawless. and he has friends in that locality who will endeavor to stand between him and

to work to discover his whereabouts.

the law. Sheriff Ingram, of Harlan county, has authority to arrest Ruff, and is already

at work on the case. The Streets of Asheville.

The appointment of a committee to consult with city attorney Sondley, lookng to the preparation of an amendment to the city charter, last night, whereby | not suit the Republicans in the South, power to act may be granted to the Council to set aside certain funds for the naintenance of respectable streets in the city, is a credit to the Councilman who

introduced the question. The matter of street improvement is a erious one, and we shall be disappointed, indeed, if the proposed amendment We dare it, but verily, we pay for our does not "cover a multitude of sins" in

Bown on Rausom. The Tarboro Southerner thus pays its

espects to Senator Ransom: "Tuesday night in the Democratic cars Matt W. Ransom was re-nominate or U. S. Senator. There is no cause for elation in North

We have had but one Senator for eigh teen years and we have no more now, unless pulling cuffs, shaking hands and inquiring about your family makes a

The action of the Democratic cancus and the vote of the Democratic Legi ture yesterday may be summed up in five words. Six more years of humbug."

The oyster is hardly ever in the "soup.

DETROIT TO ASHEVILLE.

The Whole Trip on Horseback-In Search of Health.

Mr. Walter Buell, late city editor of the Detroit (Mich.) Free Press, arrived in the city Thursday from Detroit, having made the entire journey on horseback. there ready, individually and collectively. He was accompanied by his friend Mr. to listen to the requests, the complaints, | Preston, and they left home about ten days ago. The route they decided upon was about the same as that taken by our townsman, Mr. Fred A. Hull, a few years ago, and the gentlemen declare their pleasure and appreciation of Western North Carolina scenery and climate in words of much praise. They are in search of health and recreation, and will travel extensively in the South, making their journey entirely on horseback. They go to Salisbury to-day-Mr. Preston being exceedingly anxious to again visit the scene of his captivity during the little misunderstanding which occurred in this country some Twenty-five years? ago. Spending a day or two in Salisbury North Carolina line. Then, after a trip through Virginia, Georgia, Plorida, Missippi, Louisiana and Texas, they will return to Michigan. Mr. Buell will furnish the Pree Press with sketches of his journey and descriptive of Southern life and Southern customs as they appear to

City Briefs.

Full many a street with deepest mud is filled.

And th' muttered curse of the pedestrian grates the ear; Full many an anathema, "cussed to th'

blush," is spilled-But th' dawn of decent streets appear-

President James Atkins, of the Female College, will preach at French Broad Baptist Church to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach at night on "Enoch's Walk with

The remains of Miss Lula A. Underhill, who died early yesterday morning, on Orange street, were taken to Lebanon, Ohio, for interment yesterday afternoon.

The latest New York humorous sheet bears the suggestive name of Lies. Tom Ochiltree and W. W. Dudley must be in charge.

The party, destroying sewer pipe, at the depot, was fined ten dollars, in the police court yesterday. The Asheville Light Infantry had their

first parade and public drille at Camp

Patton yesterday afternoon. Flattering Democratic Offers." The Knoxville Journal's Asheville corespondent thus speaks of our fellow-

townsman Mr. H. C. Hunt. The humor

contained in the latt clause of the paragraph below is sublime, indeed: "Capt. H. C. Hunt, one of our most prominent republicans, has been warmly recommended by the members of the party in Western North Carolina for a high official position. He has served the party long and faithfully and should be rewarded. He was the first Harrison man in North Carolina. He has had flattering offers from the democratic party; but has always remained true, preferring to be a "door-keeper in the bouse of the Lord, than to dwell in the

Real Estate Transfers. Yesterday's record of deeds in the Re-

tents of wickedness."

gister's office were as follows: Richmond Pearson and wife, to Mrs. Josephine E. Millard, one lo n northwest Asheville; amount \$3000 Sophronia Martin to J. P. Cunningham, one lot on Hillside street; C. E. Graham and wife, to Jno.

street; amount J. Morrow and wife, to W. H. Hunter, one tract of land in French Broad township; amount

Total amount of transactions-\$8,075

What Was He Elected For?

E. Ray, one lot on east Charlotte

In a recent interview with Gen. Harrion, Mr. Bateman, of New York, took the ground that his "appointments in the South should be of respectable persons, even if he should have to take moderate Democrats, and in that way a new South can be built up, one which the Republican party shall dominate. Gen. Harri son took great interest in Mr. Bateman's opinion, and expressed himself favorably toward the idea. This will however. If Mr. Harrison was not elected to give them all the offices, what was he elected for?

A piece of timber composing part of the San Pable ore of the vessels of the Spanish Armada, which sailed for the conquest of England in 1588, has been ented to Secretary Whitney, of the Navy Department, as a souvenir.

Two Specimens.

"Father—"Do you see that man with the satchel? How jolly he looks! How full of hope are his beaming smiles! How fresh is his stride! Do you mark him ?'

Son-"I do, father." "See you that other man? He ha a satchel, too. How and he look How ghastly are his attempts to cheerful? How like a pall-bearer "Nay, father."

"They are both great Repulstatemen. They have carried country on their shoulders. The one is just going to Indianapolis tharrison. The other one has just